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ok....is there a firm meeting date/time?

[Jeanne.Hanson@noaa.gov](mailto:Jeanne.Hanson@noaa.gov) wrote:

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> Brian,  
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> I'm thinking that these notes point the way to the structure of the  
> letters we want to write. Once again two letters. One letter is simple  
  
> to EPA thanking them for taking the lead in getting the agencies  
> together reaffirming our commitment to work with them and perhaps  
> summarizing the issues from the meeting (maybe on this one).  
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> One thing we should talk about (internally before the letter) from the  
  
> notes is the possibility of agencies consider sharing experts, rather  
> than each providing staff.  
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> The second letter is to the Pebble Partnership and as reflected in the  
  
> notes all the agencies don't have the same expectations about what  
> they want and need to get out of the TWG process as it moves forward  
> and each agency needs to decide for itself if the level of effort  
> they're investing is worthwhile. I think we need to decide what effort  
  
> we are going to throw at this thing and this is what this letter  
> should convey to Pebble.  
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> Regards,  
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> Jeanne  
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> (See attached file: Meeting Notes - Agency-Only Re Pebble TWG.doc)

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> Hello. Attached please find my draft meeting notes from our Feb 20th

> meeting at the Anchorage Fed Bldg. Please let me know if you have any

> comments, edits or questions. I would like to hear back by Friday

March

> 20. Thank you to Heather Blough for taking a 1st look at my rough

notes

> to help make this process smoother.

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> My recollection is that the issues we discussed will be taken up in

the

> March 26 Pebble TWG Steering Committee meeting for further vetting.

> Following that, we will meet again April 21 at the Anchorage Fed Bldg,

> and invite PLP CEO John Shivley to share this with him. (Tom informed

> me that Mr. Shivley plans on attending.)

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> Questions for the Group: You'll see that the notes are written to

> attribute comments to individuals. I would like to hear whether you

> think it more appropriate to not attribute specific comments to

> individuals. Also, should our notes be posted on the DNR web site?

> The Steering Committee will be discussing our issues and possible

> solutions, and their discussion will be posted as meeting notes on the

> web site, as usual.

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> Thank you.

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